Jury selects Eide's model as statue contest winner

A design submitted by Peter Eide, former Augustana student, was announced as the winning entry in the Ole Statue contest at coronation Friday night.

The contest began last May, with the intention of obtaining a design for a permanent Ole Statue on campus. Final selection from the seven entries obtained was made by the six-member jury last Thursday.

Competition was open to any students or alumni of Augustana, with certain regulations stipulated. Models had to be submitted by Sept. 24 and built at a scale of one and one-half inches to the foot. They were to be accompanied by the creator's ideas on the methods of construction and materials to be used.

Eide was presented a $300 check for having the winning entry, and will receive an additional $200 if the design is constructed.

The seven designs were judged by a jury made up of faculty member, Mrs. Clara C. Lee; administration member, Tom Kilian; alumni representative, Durain Young; college architect Harold Spitznagel; impartial professional artist, Richard Eide of the South Dakota State University art faculty, and student representative, Bob Henry.

Eide's winning design, along with the other six entries, is presently on display in the glass showcases in the Commons concourse.